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TO CUT TAX ON SODAS

Luxury Tax On Clothes To Be Eliminated, It Is Stated.

PROPOSED REDUCTION

Lagislators Hope To Cut Off Half a Billion Dollars From Taxation Total.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Agreement to eliminate the taxes on fountain drinks and ice cream and the so-called luxury tax on wearing apparel is understood to have been reached today by Republican members of the house ways and means committee, sitting in executive session. A reduction of one-half in the ten per cent. levy on sporting goods also is said to have been agreed upon.

The total loss of revenue from these proposed changes would be slightly less than $50,000,000 and the reductions are the first to be passed upon by the majority members in their effort to carry out the announced program of the Republican house leaders to cut half a billion dollars from the nation's tax bill.

Repeal of the 10 per cent. tax on carbonated bottled beverages, which is collected and paid by the manufacturer monthly, also was discussed at the meeting, and favorable action was predicted by some members of the committee, who argued that it was not fair to remove the tax on drinks at fountains in the cities and retain the levy on bottled goods sold largely in the rural districts.

Before undertaking revision of specific sections of the existing revenue law, the committee majority spent several hours discussing possible cuts in both taxes and expenditures, together with the probable amounts of government income from the various sources other than internal revenue. Several sets of figures were considered, but it was said no formal agreement was reached on any final totals.

It is understood that in the course of this discussion there was a suggestion that the committee appoint a delegation to go over the whole situation very frankly with President Harding and Secretary Mellon with a view to obtaining their counsel as well as urging that the executive departments hold down rigidly on expenditures. So far as was disclosed no action was taken, but at the conclusion of the day's sessions, Chairman Fordney said he might confer with Mr. Harding upon the latter's return from New England.

Estimates before the committee today were said to have contemplated total cuts of approximately $579,000,000 in probable expenditures for this fiscal year, leaving the total at $3,905,000,000, exclusive of postal, estimated at $575,000,000. Reductions proposed included $75,000,000 for the army, $57,000,000 for the navy, $100,000,000 for the shipping board, $245,000,000 for the railroads and $100,000 proposed by the treasury to be employed in redeeming war savings securities.

Tax reductions suggested totaled $720,000,000, including $450,000,000 excess profits, $90,000,000 income surtaxes, $50,000,000 nuisance taxes and $130,000,000 transportation taxes, As an offset against these reductions estimated increase in all income included $262,000,000 from the proposed 5 per cent. increase in the corporate income tax to offset the excess profits levy. Seventy million dollars from customs because of the proposed new tariff law and $60,000,000 from the sale of surplus war supplies.

Elks' Excursion.

The annual excursion of Alexandria Lodge No. 758, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, will be given to Marshall Hall tomorrow. The Elks' excursion was always popular and a large crowd is expected will attend. The advance sale of tickets for this event is big, and this itself insures a large attendance.

ELKS ACCEPT

Will Attend Maryland Convention In Hagerstown, August 15-16.

Alexandria Lodge No. 758, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at its meeting last night accepted an invitation to attend the Maryland state convention of Elks in Hagerstown, August 15 and 16. It is expected that a large delegation from this city will attend. George E. King and D. J. Laporte, of Washington Lodge, presented a personal invitation to the local lodge to be present. A number of members of the Alexandria lodge today are in Charlottesville attending the Virginia state convention of Elks. At the conclusion of the meeting there was an initiation which was followed by a social session.

STATE NEWS

Norfolk.—Damages of $3,000 for the death of Isaac Smith in the machinery of Eichelbaum & Bros., Inc., junk dealers, were allowed Elizabeth Smith, administratrix of the estate of Isaac Smith, by a verdict returned in the Circuit Court yesterday.

Lynchburg.—The report of the police department here for July shows that the department, in three raids for liquor, seized six gallons of moonshine liquor, which has been started in process of confiscation by the Commonwealth.

Lynchburg.—Campers at the Y. M. C. A. Island sent up a paper balloon Thursday night with ticket for a free motor boat ride on the James river for the finder, and the ticket was brought back to the local Y. by Hallie Padgett, a boy, who lives on the Forest road more than five miles from the Island. There is a colony of campers on the Island living in thirty-four tents.

Richmond.—Experiments of an interesting nature in breeding Bob-white partridges and other game birds an animals in captivity are being carried on at the state game farm in New Kent county, under the direction of Colonel F. Nash Bilisoly, commissioner of game and inland fisheries.

Lynchburg.—Detailed to heat water in a heater for city farm prisoners to take a Saturday evening bath. Luther Price, an 18-year-old negro boy, apparently, turned off the valve at the boiler, which led through a pipe to the tank, and while he was alone and working about the boiler it exploded, injuring him in such a manner that he died at the Lynchburg hospital several hours later.

Richmond.—Richmond will put the two platoon system for its firemen into effect September 1, it was announced recently by Director of Public Safety William M. Myers. At present the city firemen are on duty 48 hours and off 24.

Norfolk.—Amount of bail for the release of C. D. Harris, charged with robbery of $695 from the Seaboard Bank, July 19, was reduced yesterday by Judge Sargeant from $8,000 to $5,000. Application for the reduction was made to the court by Ivor A. Page, Jr., who first asked that the bond be set at the original figure of $4,000. This Commonwealth's Attorney Shackleford opposed, but agreed to $5,000.

Petersburg.—After deliberating 18 minutes a Dinwiddie county jury tonight returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the cases of Raleigh Haskins and Judge Griffith, negroes, charged with the murder of Stephen G. White, postmaster at Harpers Ferry, a month ago. Judge Robert Southall sentenced the defendants to be electrocuted September 30.

Farmville.—The mayor of Farmville has advised Adjutant-General Jo Lane Stern that the young men of this town were ready to organize a company of National Guard at once. The new company, when inducted into service, will be attached to the Second Infantry.

Lynchburg.—The police department has in charge one perfectly good seven passenger touring automobile of a popular make for which there is no claimant. The car was taken several weeks ago, when a negro chauffeur charge of the car fled upon approach, abandoned the car and fled. When the car was taken in charge the police found four gallons of moonshine liquor in it. Several days later a negro appeared at police headquarters and started to claim the car.

Danville.—Local attorneys were keenly interested today in the charges made a few days ago to the United States grand jury at Roanoke by United States Judge Henry Clay McDowell, who holds that indictments on the score of violating the Volstead act should not be returned unless it is shown that the law enforcement officers were armed with search warrants at the time of the arrest.

Norfolk.—President Harding, himself a Kiwanian, will be invited to attend the Capital District Kiwanis Club convention in Norfolk on September 30 and October 1. The Washington Kiwanis Club, with which the President is affiliated, is a member of the district. An invitation already has been extended to Miss Sue Howard, of the Metropolitan Opera Company, New York. Miss Howard has accepted the invitation. She has sung at several national and district conventions of the club.

Richmond.—The City Employment Bureau has issued the following statement: While there is much unemployment in Richmond, labor conditions here are more favorable than in most cities. Most of the manufacturing plants are operating and many of them at full capacity. Several hundred have recently been added to the pay roll. The bulk of the unemployed here are non-residents, as has been the case now for several months. Bureau is having many applicants from the men who have been recently released from the army and navy.

CELEBRATE TRINKLE'S VICTORY

Nominee Expresses Thanks to Virginia Democracy in General

Wytheville, Aug. 9.—An impromptu celebration of E. Lee Trinkle's nomination for governor in the Democratic primary, August 2, was held Saturday night, in front of the nominee's home on Main street. In the light of flaming torches and between music by the town band, speech making continued for nearly an hour.

The usual Saturday night crowd in the small town learned that J. H. Cofer, Senator Trinkle's campaign manager for the city of Norfolk, was a guest in the nominee's home for the evening; and its enthusiasm would not be assuaged. Started by some boys with torches and a truck, about 8 o'clock, the village band and about a thousand people from the town and county, including many summer boarders, soon joined in the jubilee, which was held in spite of Mr. Trinkle's personal request that no celebration be cosidered before the November election.

Mr. Trinkle exprssed, in his usual earnest manner, his thanks to his friends and to Virginia Democracy in general, for the honor bestowed upon him, and explained that he requested the set celebration to be abandoned lest it be misinterpreted as rejoicing at the outcome of an intra party fight. He explained that the primary was a friendly contest for the purpose of selecting a candidate to represent the Democratic party in its fight against the Republicans in the general election. He then urged the audience to remember that party harmony was necessary to a great victory in November.

After thanking the crowd for its enthusiasm in celebrating Mr. Trinkle's nomination and referring to the "small part" that he had in bringing it about, Mr. Cofer gave as his principal reason for supporting the Wytheville candidate, Mr. Trinkle's business success. Mr. Cofer, is a successful business man of Norfolk.

The prettiest feature of the celebration, which was impromptu in every detail, was the rythmic dancing on the steps of the home by little Helen Sue Trinkle, age five, daughter of the senator, with her cousin of the same age and size from Houston, Texas. The two children danced every time the band played.

Says He Killed Mother To Ease Her Suffering.

Evansville, Ind., Aug. 9.—Willie Deffendoll, 17 years old, held with his brother, Dolly, 22 years old, for the murder of their 70-year-old mother, Mrs. Martha Deffendoll, confessed today to officials at Boonville that he shot and killed her, it was announced by Coroner Verner Kriekhause.

According to the story which Willie told Coroner Kriekhause, he and his mother were walking through the woods in search of some squirrels when the hammer of his gun struck against a tree and discharged a shot through his mother's neck.

Mrs. Deffendoll, wounded, fell down on her side. Then she turned over on her face, according to the story drawn from Willie.

"I didn't want her to suffer," Willie said, "so I up and shot her again. That didn't kill her, so I shot her again in the neck."

Willie hurried to his home and then took refuge in Boonville. He set the date of the shooting as Friday, July 22, and said that it occurred at 8 o'clock in the morning.

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According to Willie's confession, he the day before the shooting because he had returned from Boonville without a job. "She fussed at me," he said, simply.

Willie's confession clears up the mystery as to who shot Mrs. Deffendoll, but his accidental version of the shooting is not given much credence by officials at Boonville.

"An affidavit will be made against him," Coroner Kreikhause said. "It will not be an accident charge. I do not believe that he has told all he knows. He will finally be presuaded to tell it all."

The body of Mrs. Deffendoll, with the head severed, was found in a woods near her farm home, 15 miles from Boonville last week. William and Dolly, sons of the aged woman, were placed under arrest immediately after finding the body.

Messenger Held Up.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Leonard Murray, 25, messenger of the Jefferies State Bank, was held up in the heart of the Lasalle Street financial district this afternoon by a bandit, who pressed a gun against his side and seized a satchel containing $10,000. The bandit escaped in the Loop crowd.

Jobless Army Fires London Lumber Yard.

London, Aug. 9.—Disappointed over their failure to obtain job at a timber yard in East London, which advertised for 50 men, 5000 unemployed laborers today broke into the premises and set fire to a stock of lumber valued at 1,000,000 pounds. Considerable damage was done before 500 foot and mounted police made way for fire apparatus.

SOVIET RULE WILL STAND

Statement Made By Mrs. Harrison Regarding Conditions In Russia.

RATIONS PROVIDED

Will Strengthen Liberals—Refusals To Aid Would Not Injure Government.

Berlin, Aug 9.—With all America speculating as to methods to be pursued in co-operating with the Soviet Government in bringing relief to the famine sufferers of Russia, it should be clearly understood at the outset that, regardless of the famine or any other source of suffering by the masses of the people, there is not the slighest chance that the present Government will be overturned. Any relief work under taken by the United States should be started on the basis of a certainty that the Soviet authority will last. Fifty million Russians might be starving instead of the 10,000,000 that are and still its stability would not be threatened—as long as the workers of Moscow and Petrograd are fed, and there is no doubt that they will be fed.

The explanation is quite simple. There exists in Russia today no force which can organize a successful revolution while these two great industrial centers suport the Govern ment. There are many other factors which would make impossible any nearby rebellion on a grand scale against the existing regime, but this one alone is enough.

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The Government recognized long ago that Moscow and Petrograd constituted the key to its stability, and from the moment that the food shortage began accumulated each year sufficient supplies to these two nerve centers. The official estimates show that there is now on hand enough to feed and clothe 12 000,000 employes and dependents of the Gov ernment. Of these, 5,000,000 are civil employes, who receive full rations. Then the 2,000,000 members of the army and militia are on three quarter rations, and 5,000,00 invalids and pensioners of the Commissariat of Social Maintenance are given half rations. All of this is equivalent to 9,000,000 full rations for a year.

Further than this, Moscow is able to draw upon the surrounding country, which is largely a market garden area. The workmen are nearly all former peasants who have relatives in the country who keep them supplied with foodstuffs, while the free trade in such commodities which was officially sanctioned this year permits of the purchase of food in the open market. Petrograd is without this advantage, for the surrounding country is marshy, but there the Communist politicl and distribution systems are better organized than anywhere else.

Definitely, then, the Soviet Government is going to last. The granting of aid on a large scale from outside of Russia, apart from the obvious humanitarianism of it, will strengthen all the liberal elements of the country in or out of the Communist party. On the other hand, a refusal of aid would not injure the Government, but exactly the opposite. The chief reason is that it might give the extremists an excuse for proceeding with their plan of provoking a war with Poland or Roumania or both, with the double object of obtaining food for the Russian masses and bringing on revolutionists in those countries.

READY NEXT MONTH

Trent Amalgam Company Will Produce 500 Tons Daily.

The Trent Amalgam Company, which recently started operations of the shipyard into a plant for the purification of coal, are being held up owing to the fact that the shipment of machinery which is essential to the operation of the plant is delayed on the railroads. Officials of the company say that early next month the plant will open up with an initial capacity of five hundred tons daily. It is also stated that as the demand for the product increases capacity of the plant will also be increased to meet the demand. At the present time the plant is about eighty-five per cent. complete.

Sunday School League.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
First Baptist	6	3	666
Trinity	6	5	545
M. E., South	6	5	545
Second Baptist	3	7	300
St. Paul's	0	1	000

The Second Baptist team defeated the First Baptist yesterday on Baggett's field by the score of 3 to 2, game being called on account of darkness at the beginning of the seventh inning. Smoot for the Second Baptist and Ayers of the First Baptist pitched good ball, both having nine strike outs.

Stover won the game for the Second Baptists hitting a three base hit in the sixth inning, scoring two men.

The game was interesting throughout and was witnessed by a large crowd.

The next game will be played Wednesday between these same teams.

Forty-five Lives Lost In Sinking of Steamer Alaska.

Eureka, Cal., Aug. 9.—Navigation experts today started investigation of the sinking of the steamer Alaska.

Whether the steamer hit Blunt's Reef—that graveyard of many ships—because of anvigation errors or whether its boilers blew up is expected to be made known.

But this fact did not lighten the load of the relatives and friends of 28 missing passengers and crew members who are hoping against hope that some miracle will restore the lives believed lost; nor will it prevent the tearful and dramatic scenes in the morgue, where 17 bodies now lie.

Forty-five lives are believed lost, according to the revised lists of the San Francisco and Portland Steamship Company.

Defer Arrest of Governor Small.

Springfield, Ill., Aug 9.—Sheriff Mester and District Attorney Mortimer late today decided that no attempts would be made tonight to arrest Governor Len Small, following a conference between the sheriff and the state executive at the latter's offices. The sheriff did not take to the government office the three warrants charging the governor with embezzelment of state funds while he was state treasurer.

Determination to continue to resist arrest was reiterated to the sheriff, who said his visit was made to obtain a statement from the governor as to his position. The sheriff said that Governor Small had threatened to take action against him and his bondsmen if attempts were made to serve the warrants.

"I told him," the sheriff said, "that I intended to serve the warrants and that if he did not come to arrange his bonds that I would have to bring him in."

SHOOTS BROTHER DEAD IN ROW OVER THE SMALL SUM OF $4.11

Philadelphia, Aug. 9.—Ralph Jarrett Penrose, 30 years old, was shot and almost instantly killed shortly after noon today at Elkins Park by his brother, Norman Samuel Penrose, 26 years old, in the heat of a violent quarrel.

While Ralph lay dying Norman knelt beside him, and with his arms about his neck, protested with sobs that he had not meant to kill him and begged his forgiveness.

The dying man, bleeding to death from a bullet wound that had severed the jugular vein, tried to speak, but could not, and then smiled his assent to his brother's frenzied plea.

The shooting, which followed a fight over a $4.11 phone bill, in which Ralph is said to have bested Norman, blacking his eye and bringing blood to his nose, ended a lifelong companionship between the brothers, which is said to have been unusually close and sympathetic.

The shooting occurred in the home of William Connard, on old York road, where the brothers had boarded for seven years. In the house at the time were Mr. Connard, who is 80 years old; a daughter, who is ill; a second daughter, Miss Elizabeth Connard, who witnessed the quarrel and the events that followed the shooting, and her 14-year-old niece Doris.

According to Miss Connard, Norman, after the shooting, sought the pistol, and she believes would have killed himself if she had not hidde the weapon.

The two men were veterans of the World War, wealthy in their own right, and sons of Samuel J. Penrose, a wealthy retired farmer of Doylestown.

Ralph was a civil engineer, and before the war was employed by the State Highways Commission. The younger brother had been an oil salesman. Since the war neither had been regularly employed.

Each had a fortune of more than $100,000, left them by their mother. The father married again.

The quarrel took place in the dining room of the Connard home. After the fight ended in the defeat of Norman, the younger brother, it is said went upstairs to his room, and Ralph went out into the yard. It is said that Norman got an automatic pistol from a drawer in his room, and going to the window, fired four shots at his brother. All the shots went wild.

In a second quarrel Norman, after apparently getting the worst of it, again fired at Ralph, striking him in the neck. He fell and died a few minutes later.

ANTI-BEER BILL PASSED

"Wet" Forces Compel Adoption of Clause Requiring Search Warrant.

CURB DRY AGENTS

Provides $1,000 Fine—To Carry Fight To House—Wine Amendment Rejected.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Despite an unexpected display of "wet" strength, the Senate, by a vote of 39 to 20, today passed the Campbell-Willis bill prohibiting physicians from prescribing beer as medicine and otherwise amending the Volstead Prohibition Enforcement act.

Wet forces, however, succeeded in mustering such a formidable array of votes that they were able to compel the adoption of amendments, one of them so important as to call forth vehement protests from "dry" leaders that it would nullify the Volstead law.

This amendment was offered by Senator Stanley, of Kentucky. It is designed to put an end to some of the practices of prohibition agents which have been the cause of widespread complaint. It provides a fine of $1,000 and imprisonment for one year for prohibition agents or any Government employe engaged in enforcement of prohibition or any other law who searches or attempts to search property or the premises of any person without securing a search warrant.

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FIRE TEST MADE

Water Thrown On O. D. Glass Plant In 6 Minutes and 10 Seconds After Alarm.

A test for speed in throwing water was made at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Engine Company No. 1 and 4 when an alarm was turned in from the plant of the Old Dominion Glass Company. Both engines made a record run and relayed the water a distance of 2,400 feet and in exactly six minutes and ten seconds a stream of water was playing on the factory. Company No. 1 stopped at Washington and Montgomery streets where they connected with the fire hydrant and No. 4 engine stopped midway between Washington street and the factory, on the old tow path. Engine No. 1 pumped two streams of water to engine No. 4 which relayed the water to the factory. A total of 2,400 feet of hose were used. Fire Chief E. J. McDermott expressed himself as well pleased with the test.

Big Day, Oh Boy! Oh Girl!

The Salvation Army outing to Marshall Hall was a big day. We had with us 125 children and 30 mothers. The day was fine. lemonade, lunches, ice cream, and fruit, all free, oh boy! oh girl! And the races, well you ought to see the fat women's, race, some race! and the free rides we had, oh boy! You come with us the next time.

Captain McIntyre wants to thank all who helped to make the children happy, and to say that there is a big Y. P. L., supper coming off on Monday night, August the 15th, and he would like all the members to be on the job.

REPUBLICANS MEET

Fairfax Harrison Addresses District Meeting.

Fairfax Harrison, president of the Southern Railway Company, yesterday afternoon addressed the Republicans of the Eighth Congressional district at a meeting in the auditorium of the chamber of commerce presided over by Joseph L. Crupper, state chairman. Mr. Harrison is chairman of the finance committee of the Republican party in Virginia. About fifty persons were present representing most of the counties comprising the Eighth Congressional district. Plans were discussed for the election which will be held in November when the Republicans will have a state ticket in the field.

300 Former U. S. Soldiers Are Imprisoned In France.

New York, Aug. 9.—Three hundred doughboys who went to France and fought in the great war are now serving sentences in French civil prisons for various infractions of the laws of that country. In virtual solitary confinement, enduring the extremely rigorous French prison discipline, tried and convicted in a tongue foreign to them, they are helpless and friendless.

This summarizes a situation that has been successively brought to the attention of the American Embassy in Paris, to President Harding personally, and that is likely to be made a subject of Congressional inquiry, according to information obtained today.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

Washington, Aug. 9.—Troubles for the Republican tax tinkerers are piling up thick and fast. Indications point to a serious split in their ranks before the Ways and Means Committee reports out a measure for consid eration byt he House providing for a readjustment of our tax laws.

The latest outbreak from the Republican stronghold has come from Representative Frear, of Wisconsin, a Republican member of the Ways and Means Committee. Frear says he is opposed to the repeal of the excess profit tax until he has found how it is planned to levy taxes to make up what would be lost by such repeal.

Following this bit of insurgency on the part of Frear, another Republican member, Representative Keller, of Minnesota is predicting the ruin of his party if the administration plans for tax revision are carried out. Keller says that President Harding has assumed more power in dictating to Congress than any of his predecessors.

All of which is very pleasing to the Democrats who are taking things easy and enjoying the dilemma in which their Republican brethren find themselves enmeshed.

Plans For China.

Secretary of Commerce Hoover is known here to be authority for a program of virtual internationalization of China by President Harding's forth coming conference on limitation of armaments and Far Eastern questions.

This program, which has been suggested by Hoover to certain of his friends, contains as its cardinal features the setting up of a protectorate over China by the powers attending the conference and recognition of Japan's fast-growing population in a concession to her by which she could obtain a colonizing outlet in Manchuria. While the State Department will make no comment on the plan of Hoover it is believed that some such arrangement as proposed will be seriously discussed and possibly given effect by the conference.

Cuba Seeks Loan

Secretary of State Hughes has been informed by a delegation of financial men of Cuba that its fiscal situation is such that an immediate loan of $50,000,000 should be made to the island by American bankers. The business men from Cuba are also in Washington to enter vigorous protest against the proposed duty of two cents a pound on raw sugar contained in the Fordney tariff bill as passed by the House.

It is argued that if this duty on Cuban sugar is imposed, the Island Republic will not be able to pay her American creditors the vast sum she now owes. In fact such action will mean governmental bankruptcy for Cuba and there will be nothing left but for the United States to intervene or annex the island.

Up to Harding.

With the return of President Harding to Washington after his ten days vacation in New England, a number of important public matters will have to be given consideration by him. Among these is the passage by Congress of the measure authorizing the War Finance Corporation to advance to the railroads of the United States $500,000,000 to aid them in their present financial difficulty in order that they may make settlement on bills already long overdue and provide for additions and betterments which are absolutely necessary.

The President, too, will be called upon to decide whether or not there shall be any recess of Congress. Members on both sides of the Capitol are clamoring for an opportunity to visit their homes and they argue that the affairs of the nation will not be seriously interferred with if they are given an opportunity to leave Washington for a month at least.

The Awful Volstead Act

Prohibition officials in Washington are just now wrestling with another problem brought about through the enactment of the Volstead Law. They will have to decide whether or not the delegates from foreign countries who will be in attendance at the disarmament and Far Eastern conference will be permitted to bring their supplies of liquor with them. All Ambassadors and Ministers and their immediate households can obtain all the liquor they desire without fear of interference on the part of prohibition officials. But what will be the status of these foreign envoys who will be at the National Capital for the disarmament conference is a question that remains to be settled by our State Department. In the meantime, the troubles of the prohibition enforcement officers multiply.

Republican Hot Air.

Democrats at the National Capital are having a lot of fun with their Republican friends who are making assertions that there is a good chance of the Republican candidate for Governor in Virginia being elected this fall.

"There is just about as much chance for anything of the kind happening," said a prominent Virginia-

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TODAY'S THOUGHT Shakespeare is not our poet, but the world's;— therefore on him no speech! And brief for thee, Browning! Since Chaucer was alive and hale, no man hath walked along our roads with steps so active, so inquiring eye, or tongue so varied in discourse.

Walter Savage Landor.

RORER A. JAMES

The announcement of the death of Congressman Rorer A. James, of Danville, came as a sudden shock to his friends in every section of the state. Only a few days before his demise he appeared the picture of robust health, and apparently had many years of usefulness before him. Mr. James was filling his second term in Congress, and had won the unqualified respect and affection of his colleagues in that body. His whole life had been spent, more or less, in public service, and he had been honored by his fellow-citizens with many offices of trust and honor. Elected to the House of Delegates in 1891, he served two years in that capacity, and was then elected to the state senate from Pittsylvania, where he served for eight years. In 1920 he was named chairman of the State Democratic Committee by acclaim, which position he held up to the time of his decease. In 1899 he purchase dthe Register, a morning paper, and the Bee, an afternoon paper, at Danville, both of which he owned at the time of his death, and which he had, with untiring energy and sound judgment, raised to the front rank of Virginia journalism.

Colonel James was a man of unusually strong character, fighting for his convictions with bull-dog tenacity, loyal to his friends, and asking no favors at the hands of the opposition.

He ranked among the ablest of the sons of Virginia, and his loss will be felt far and wide. "He was a man, take him for all in all, we shall not look upon his like again."

Anti-Beer Bill Passed.

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Senator Willis, of Ohio; Senator Sterling, of South Dakota, and Senator Nelson, of Minnesota, who led the fight for the Anti-Beer bill, denounced the amendment in the strongest language.

Whether the amendment will survive in conference with the House remains to be seen, but the wets are determined to make a hard fight for it. They regarded its adoption as the most important victory scored by the anti-prohibition forces since the enactment of the Prohibition law.

In addition to compelling prohibition agents to observe the Constitution, the Stanley amendment provides a fine of $10.000 and imprisonment for five years for any person not a duly autnorized agent of the Government who subejcts any person to deprivation of his rights under the Constitution. This amendment is aimed at too zealous drys who take the law into their own hands and at liquor bandits who have been looting cellars all over the country.

Before the final roll call was taken the Senate adopted an amendment offered by Senator Sterling authorizing the Internal Revenue Commissioner to prohibit imports of wine if he found the domestic supply adequate.

An amendment proposed by Senator Spencer, of Missouri, to permit physicians to prescribe wine without restriction as to the amount was rejected. The bill in its present form will permit physicians to prescribe a quart of wine for patients once in ten days.

A motion by Senator Broussard to recommit the bill to committee was defeated, 38 to 23.

The Senate rejected, without a roll call, the "beer and wine" amendment of Senator Broussard. It would have permitted the sale of the beer containing up to 5 per cent. of alcohol and wine of 14 per cent. upon authorization by State referendum. This amendment, Senator Williams declared, would nullify the prohibition amendment.

An amendment by Senator Wadsworth, Republican, New York, also adopted, would authorize the Prohibition Commissioner to permit reimportation of distilled spirits exported abroad when returned to bonded warehouses in this country In original packages.

No essential changes were made in House provisions extending the Federal prohibition laws to all territory under Government jurisdiction, including Hawaii and the Virgin Islands. The Senate also retained the House clause relieving from Federal taexs all distilled spirits lost by theft, accidental fire or other means while in transportation of a common carrier or from a bonded warehouse, providing there should be no connivance, negligence or fraud.

Fourteen Republicans and six Democrats voted against passage of the bill. The Republican opponents were Senators Ball, Delaware; Brandegee, Conencticut; Cameron, Arizona; Johnson, California, La Follette, Wisconsin; Lodge, Massachusetts; McLean, Connecticut; Moses, New Hampshire; Penrose, Pennsylvania; Phipps, Colorado; Shortridge, California; Wadsworth, New York; Warren, Wyoming, and Weller, Maryland. The six Democratic opponents were Senators Broussard, of Louisiana; Gerry, Rhode Island; King, Utah; Pomerene, Ohio; Ransdell, Louisiana, and Stanley, Kentucky. Senator Reed was paired against the bill.

Several Senators who voted for the prohibition amendment and the Volstead law opposed the new bill. Prominent among them were Senators Pomerene, Ransdell and Williams.

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Misses Milcey Zachary and Lena Glascock have returned to their homes in Del Ray, and Braddock, after a pleasant vacation which they spent at Virginia Beach and Baltimore.

Little Mary Neal Walden, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Walden, of Rosemont, was badly injured in a fall while at play in Richmond, Va., her jaw bone was broken in two places and dislocated besides. The acident occurred on Thursday of last week and Mr. and Mrs. Walden went at once to attend her. At last reporst, she was geting along nicely.

Mrs. Louise Garner, from Washington, D. C., was the guest of Mrs. O. L. Keys, in St. Elmo on Sunday

Mrs. F. E. Ludwig and daughter, Miss Gretta, are spending their vacation in a round of visits to relatives in Yardsville, Berlin, and other towns in New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lamm, of Howell Avenue, Del Ray, left Saturday for an extended trip through North Carolina, in the course of which they will visit in Charlotte, Asheville, Raleigh and Rocky Mount

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kremer and son, Gustav, with Francis DeLane, motored to Earlsville, in Albemarle county, and spent the week end with friends. Upon their return to Del Ray, they were accompanied by Miss Loise Kremer who has been visiting there for about two weeks.

Mrs. Susie Shuster, of St. Elmo, is visiting in Baltimore, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne and children, have returned to Baltimore after a visit of several days in the home of his brother, Mr. Richard Payne, in St. Elmo.

Mr. Fred Jackson, from New York City, is the guest of his uncle, Mr. F. S. Jackson, in Rosemont.

Rev. J. R. Wood preached from the text, "I have called you friends" from John 15:15, at the morning service of Del Ray M. E. Church on Sunday. At the evening service his topic was, "The cause of Lot's downfall," text, Genesis, 11:13.

The Baptist congregation were without a preacher for the Sunday morning service; and there was no service in that church in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Raney and children, enroute from W. Va., to their home in Lorton, Va., stopped for a days' visit in the family of his sister, Mrs. Henry Dawson, in St. Elmo, on Sunday.

A motor truck full of happy people took an early morning ride to Occoquan on Sunday, and spent the day fishing and picnicing. The party included Mrs. H. Young and Felix, from St., Elmo, Mr. and Mrs. B. Burgandine, of Del Ray, Mr. Whitestone, of Alexandria, and Misses Minnie Ferren, Mary Coates and Mary McCaull, from Washington, with Mr. James Holmes, also of Washington.

A very pretty pageant will be presented by the pupils of Mount Vernon Plae Church vacation school on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, at the Sylvan Theatre on the grounds of the Washington monument. This will be one of the features of the close of the school for this summer; the participants are well drilled and will give a really artistic entertainment. And the teachers and directors of the school are hoping that a large crowd will be in attendance. There is no admission, no collection, Young folks and older folks, will enjoy it. The invitation to attend is given to every one in Alexandria, and Washington. So be sure every body, to be there, and enjoy this delightful pageant. You will be sorry if you miss it. Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock, the monument lot, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. J. H. Balleger and Claud, with Miss Mary Ballenger and the Misses Hattie and Mattie Hickey, and Edna Corder, Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Davis, of Potomac, and Mr. Ernest Davis, from Washington, formed a week end party at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Leonard Miller, of Oxford Avenue, Del Ray, is making an extended visit in the home of her parents in Norfolk, during the absence of Mr. Miller, who is on a business trip to Indianapolis.

Miss Elizabeth King has returned home to George Washington Park after a delightful six weeks in Blacksburg, Va., where she taught in the mountain schools.

Walter Lusby, of t. Elmo, is spending the month with his grandmother, Mrs. F. J. Lusby, in Richmond county.

Mrs. Harry Pinckney with her son and daughter, James and Mildred, have been visiting in the home of Dr. F. M. Dillard, in Braddock Heights, for a week, and left Saturday for their home in Charles Town, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Freeland and young sons, of Braddock, started yesterday morning on a motor trip through Pennsylvania and New Jersey, expecting to be gone for two weeks.

Mr. W. Talbot Sinclair from Syracuse, N. Y., is visiting in the home of his brother, Mr. C. A. S. Sinclair, in Braddock Heights.

Miss Edna Ennis, from Fredericksburg, is a guest of Mrs. W. B. Glascock, in Northeast Braddock.

A full membership attended the regular meeting of the town council of Potomac last night. Only routine business was transacted.

Mr. J. Melvin Jones, who resides at Windsor and Dewitt Avenue, Del Ray, Va., was the recipient today of a handsome gold wrist watch and bracelet given to him by the employes who are working under his supervision. Mr. Jones has been acting as engine house foreman at the Southern Railway shop, and is loved and respected by all of the men under him. The presentation speech was delieverd by machinist C. O. Tullock, who was given a hearty applause after his speech.

Mr. Harry S. Entwisle, of Lincoln, Nebraska, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Leslie Williams, in Howell Avenue, Del Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lemke and son, Alfred, of Howell Avenue, Del Ray, have returned from a visit in Orange, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray Hicks, of Howell Avenue, Del Ray, have been visiting Mr. Hicks' mother, in Monroe, Va.

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An American Doughboy in France

By ELLIOTT F. HOFFMAN

(Historian of Alexandria Post, No. 24, American Legion.)

(For the Alexandria Gazette.)

The Battle of St. Mihiel

The terrific rainstorm, which began about 11 p. m., had played havoc with the trenches, and when we entered them a few minutes befor 1 a. m., we found the water in some places above our knees. Promptly at that hour the heavy artillery of the seven American divisions, which were in the front lines, began to shell the enemy. This was evidently a surprise to the Huns, as no response came back, save only the occasional appearance of flares in the sky, sent up by them for the purpose of locating our position. Shortly before day break their artillery opened fire a poured tons of high explosives into our lines. The rain having subsided about 4 a. m., a heavy veil of fog rose, forming a screen for the infantry, which, accompanied by groups of wire cutters and a number of tanks manned by the French, moved over the top at 5 a. m. These went through the successive bands of barbed wire that protected the enemy's front line and support trenches, in irresistible waves, each on schedule time, breaking all defense of the enmy demoralizd by the great volume of our artillery fire and our sudden appearance out of the fog.

As we advanced we found protection in the big shell holes, made in the earth by both our own, and the enemy's artillery. A high explosive shell can be heard whizzing through the air thirty or forty seconds before it bursts, a fortunate thing for us, since it gave us time to dive into these water-filled holes for protection from the flying fragments.

Our artillery had destroyed every building in the first village we captured, and only a few rolling kitchens and other miscellaneous equipment left by the retreating Germans gave evidence that the place had been occupied by the enemy. Their retreat, though orderly, was marked by the loss of many troops killed outright by our artillery and the first onrushing wave of the doughboys. General Pershing's report to the Secretary of War gives our loss as 7,000 casualties, most of which were light, while we captured 16,000 "Squareheads" and 443 guns, releasing the inhabitants of many villages from enemy domination.

The air battle between the French Independent Air Force attached to our First Army and the German Air Squadron resulted in the destruction of two of the enemy's planes in our immediate sector. The planes, a mass of flames ,fell a few hundred yards from the company with which the writer served.

The fighting lasted two days, during which time each man had one can of corned beef and four small boxes of hard bread. Water was very scarce and was consumed only when absolutely necessary. At night we dug holes in the ground for the double purpose of furnishing sleeping quarters and protection from the high explosives which the Hun might, and frequently did, send over. They were not particularly desirable sleeping places, for the nights were cold and with the frequent rains during the night, we often woke at daybreak to find them half filled with water. We optimistically thought, in the midst of this discomfort, of the few "cooties" that had been drowned in the deluge.

The food situation improved after two days of fighting, for our rolling kitchen moved up nearer the front. The mess detail, which had been left behind with the kitchen, was sent out with baskets filled with bacon, bread and doughnuts, and had been instructed to find our position and deliver the food at all costs. A wild shout went up as we saw them appearing across a barren field, bearing their precious burden. Each man received one slice of bread, two pieces of fried bacon and two doughnuts, which served as a fine appetizer for the beans we were to have later. Late in the night the mess cart was drawn up by "Rainbow," our fighting mule (Rainbow was later "killed in action"), and both cart and mule were hidden in the thicket while we advanced in twos to receive our beans, after which we hastened back to our "dug outs" lest the enemy might hear the noise and send over his "love messages." Water was brought up by Rainbow from the rear every other night and a small detail of men was sent back to fill up the canteens of the entire company.

We held the lines for 16 days, digging trenches during the nights. Several of our number were killed during the period. On an excursion early one afternoon seven of us were digging a part of a trench when the "Huns" sent over a shell, killing one of our number and wounding another, who later went insane and died shortly thereafter.

(To be continued.)

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. Louis C. Barley, Jr., is motoring with a party of friends through Virginia.

Miss Page Buddin and Miss Ruth LeHew, left last night for an extended trip to North Carolina.

Mr. Madison Ale has returned to his home in Spring City, Pa., after a visit to relatives in this city.

Miss Joyce Graham is spending the summer with relatives in Wisconsin and North Dakota.

Messrs. Ashby and Vernon Warfield, have returned from Atlantic City, where they spent the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thompson and Miss Mary Thompsn, have returned from a trip to Cape May.

Miss Cornelia Staley, of Charlottesville, is visiting at the home of Mrs. C. W. O'Meara, in South Washington street.

Mrs. Lydia Carr who was operated on by Drs. Delaney, and Warfield, yesterday, continues to improve.

Mr. Everett O'Neill who has spent the past two years on the Mexican border, is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Laura May Taylor, of 227 North Pitt street, is visiting Miss Marguerite Anderson, in Port Huron, Michigan.

All members of the Southern Methodist team are requested to report this afternoon at Baggett's field for practice.

In the Corporation Court a final decree for divorce has been granted Agnes McGill Young from Samuel W. Young.

Mrs. H. J. Turberville has returned to his home in North Payne street, after spending some time in North Carolina.

Mrs. James Stafford, who has been visiting friends in Strausburg, returned yesterday, to her home in North Royal street.

The S. M. T., of the Alexandria Rex announced today that they would give a moonlight excursion down the river on August 19.

Master Herbert Fedder, of Baltimore, is the guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blondheim, of 405 King street.

Mr. Carroll Pierce, Jr., who is spending the summer with his parents, was the guest over the week end of relatives in Loudoun county

Mr. Harvey Robinson and family, accompanied by Miss Martha Shiverdecker, have gone on a motor trip to Colonial Beach to spend a week.

Mrs. Harry Harover and two little daughters, have returned to their home in Duke street, after a month's visit with relatives at Shipman, Va.

The regular meeting of the Friendship Veterans Fire Association, will be held tomorrow, Wednesday evening, at 7:45 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Harry Fetter and little son and daughter, have returned to their home in North Royal street, after spending a month in Rectortown, Va.

Miss Elizabeth Ayres, who has recently had her tonsils and adenoids removed at the Alexandria Hospital, left yesterday, for her home in King street.

The Gazette will be glad to receive notices of the comings and goings of the people of our city. Call No. 7.

Miss Susie B. Wray, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Alexandria Hospital, left for her home in South Fairfax street, yesterday.

The funeral of Dempster Martin Smith, took place this morning at 10:30. Rev. Woods, of Del Ray, conducted the funeral which was in Oak Hill cemetery, Washington.

Mr. Wilmer H. Scott, formerly of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation, and a well known resident, is now a member of the sales force of the Remschell Auto Sales Co.

The Woman's Auxiliary of Christ Church will hold a lawn party Thursday, August 11, from 5 to 9 p. m., on the lawn of the Parish Hall. There will be a sale of homemade cakes.

A small fire at the plant of the Safety First Manufacturing Company at the foot of Duke street caused an alarm of fire shortly before 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The blaze was subdued with chemical extinguishers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hokanson, of Chicago, announce the marriage of Mrs. Hokanson's sister, Miss Agnes Ree, formerly of Alexandria, to Mr. Clement C. Charles, of North Carolina. The wedding took place in Chicago July 27. The couple will make their home in Los Angeles, Cal.

Miss Sara Cox, Miss Collins Jones and Miss Lucy Anderson, left today to spend several weeks in Maine, as the guests of Miss Carol Leadbeater. Miss Cox will return the first of September, but Miss Jones and Miss Anderson will visit in New York and Boton and other points North before returning to Alexandria.

Tomorrow, Wednesday moning, there will be the usual sewing class at the playgrunds on Queen street, from 10 to 12. The committee will be glad to receive any contributions of scraps of goods and other materials left over from your sewing basket, and hoe you will remember this call when you have any scraps you do not want, as they are in nueed of materials to sew on.

Mr. A. A. Paul who has been ill, is able to be out again.

Mr. August Winterall is confined to his home in North Royal street, by illness.

Mr. Edward Quinn, of the Alexandria Naval Torpedo Station, who has been ill at the hospital, has gone on a visit to Providence, R. I.

Miss Irma M. Wolf has returned to her home in King street, after spending some time with friends at Ocean View, Va.

John F. Brissey, 64 years old, a well known resident, died late last night after a long illness. The body was taken to Wheatleys mortuary chapel from whence the funeral will take place at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH CONFERENCE NOW IN SESSION

Junaluska, N. C., Aug. 9.—The missionary conference and school of missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, now in session at Lake Junaluska, N. C., has been pronounced by leaders in missionary work as one of the most enthusiastic ever held. Among those taking part in the program are: Hon. Josephus Daniels, former Secretary of the Navy; Senator W. R. Webb, of Tennessee; Dr. Charles L. Goodell, New York; Dr. F. N. Parker, Atlanta, Ga., Dr. O. E. Brown, Nashville, Tenn., Dr. W. D. Weatherford, Nashville, Tenn., Dr. A. H. Armstrong, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. T H Haden, missionary to Japan; Dr. J. A. G. Shipley, missionary to China; Dr. W. W. Pinson, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. Edmond F. Cook, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. S. G. Inman, New York,; Dr. Edward L. Pell, Richmond, Va.; Dr. C. G. Hounshell,; Mrs. Hume R. Steele and Miss Mabel K. Howell, secretaries of the Board of Missions; Dr. Carlton D. Harris Baltimore, Md., and others.

Dr. W. W. Pinson general secretary of the Board of Missions in outlining the work to be done by the conference said:

"Methodism will go to the scrap heap if she does not recognize her responsibility and opportunity, and make a mighty advance. We are not here to reckon successes nor to celebrate victories, but to organize new campaigns for a greater and more glorious future. The world is too old to harbor anything that is not efficient. The church is facing today a challenge such as it has not faced since the first century. The whole world is crying ,"Where is God?' Never were there so many bewildered people. If there ever was a time when religion had her innings, it is now People have ceased to sneer at religion, but treat it as a sober, serious, essential fact in life. The church is facing a test which if it does not meet by some great forward movement, it will be thrown on the scrap heap. The Methodist church or any other church can and will die if it does not meet the test and respond to the call of humanity and the still small voice that urges to greater and more glorious things ahead."

Few people are aware of the fact that the automatic machine was first invented more than 2,000 years ago. Its inventor was Has of Alexandria, who flourished from 117 to 81 B. C. It was actually a slot machine, which in return for a coin of 5 drachms offered a cup of wine, and was worked on similar lines to the modern slot machine.

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or Roast Sugar Ham with Pican Sauce, 35 cents
Fried Egg Plant, 10 cents,
Green Corn on Cob, 10 cents.
Mashed Potatoes, 10 cents, Baked Macaroni, 10 cents
Pies, Green Apple, 10 cents, Cherry 10 cents. Fruit Pudding 10 cents
Coffee, 10 cents, Tea, 10 cents, Milk, 10 cents.

THIS WOMAN'S EXPERIENCE

Brings a Ray of Hope to Childless Women

Lowell, Mass.—"I had anemia from the time I was sixteen years old and was very irregular. If I did any housecleaning or washing I would faint and have to be put to bed, my husband thinking every minute was my last. After reading your text-book for women I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and used the Sanative Wash, and have never felt better than I have the last two years. I can work, eat, sleep, and feel as strong as can be. Doctors told me I could never have children—I was too weak—but after taking Vegetable Compound it strengthened me so I gave birth to an eight pound boy. I was well all the time, did all my work up to the last day, and had a natural birth. Everybody who knew me was surprised, and when they ask me what made me strong I tell them with great pleasure, 'I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and never felt better in my life.' Use this testimonial at any time."—Mrs. ELIZABETH SMART, 142 W. Sixth St., Lowell, Mass. This experience of Mrs. Smart is surely a strong recommendation for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is only one of a great many similar cases

AGRICULTURAL CONDITIONS

Farm production this year will fall 10 per cent below the record made last season. The important cereals return to the average yield of previous years. This is one of the few summers of high temperatures in which the crops passed safely through the mid-season of July without very serious impairment. The heat has been equal to that of 1880 and 1901, when crops were dried up. The saving feature of this twenty-year recurrent heat cycle has been the number of rains not general, but scattered as to time, and in the main covering the important part of the grain growing area.

The bumper crops of last season were not all consumed, except wheat, which made a record in the exportation to Europe.

The crops gathered and indicated, with the large carryover, will furnish the country with a supply equal to its needs and with a margin for export to the countries which have been less favored.

Food and feed acreage of the country this year is not less than last year; itis more! The courageous farmer faced the future with a million more acres than the previous season. The compilation of the government's estimated acreage of the grains, vegetables, forage, seeds, is 312,109,000; last year the final estimate was 311,079,000.

Successive hot waves have been sweeping over the country since early June, not only in this hemisphere but in Europe. This country has been more fortunate than England and the continental countries. There the heat has been relieved only recently by rains. Much of the grains, forage and vegetables have been badly hurt, and yields greatly reduced. This country has had a peculiar run of showers. The rains at times covered wide areas but were never general, except in the cotton states, and there only recently. The showers have been sufficient to save the crops from a great disaster. In fact damage by heat has been a great factor, being confined to an area between the Missouri and Mississippi rivers, and covering Minnesota, the Dakotas and Montana.

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Julia Hannoe, complainant, vs. Joseph Brewer, et als., defendants. In Chancery, No. 554.

Pursuant to and by authority of a decree entered on the 5th day of August, 1920, in a certain suit in chancery pending in the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, wherein Julia Hannoe is complainant and Joseph Brewer et als., are defendants, the undersigned will expose for sale at public auction on Tuesday, the 23rd day of August, 1921, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the west entrance to the City Hall Building, on North Royal Street, Alexandria City, Virginia, all that lot of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon, in the said City of Alexandria, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the south side of Wolfe Street with the east side of Fairfax Street, and running east on Wolfe street thirty four (34) feet five (5) inches, thence south parallel to Fairfax Street eighty-six (86) feet six (6) inches to an alley ten (10) feet wide; thence west on said alley thirty-four (34) feet five (5) inches to Fairfax Street; thence north on Fairfax Street eighty-six (86) feet six (6) inches to the beginning, with the right of way over the said alley and all appurtenances.

Terms of sale: One-third Cash and the balance in two equal payments at six and twelve months from day of sale, the deferred payments to bear interest at six per cent. and to be secured by either the retention of the title until the purchase price is paid in full or a first deed of trust given upon the property sold to secure the same, or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

R. B. WASHINGTON,
Special Commissioner of Sale.

I hereby certify that R. B. Washington, Special Commissioner of Sale, has executed bond required in the chancery cause of Julia Hannoe vs. Joseph Brewer et als., with good and sufficient security.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
186-13c. Clerk.

A CLASSIFIED AD IN THE GAZETTE ALWAYS PAYS. EVERYBODY READS THEM.

CAMP UPTON TO BE SOLD

The War Department authorizes publication of the following from the Office of the Director of Sales:

The Director of Sales announces that plans have been completed by the Quartermaster General for th sale by auction of the buildings and improvements at Camp Upton, Long Island, N. Y., beginning on August 15, 1921, The sale will be continuec until the last of the surplus items have been disposed of.

Included in the sale will be approximately 50,000,000 feet of lumber; a 30-ton refrigerating plant; steam heating plant, boiler house; 80,000 feet of radiation; water pumping stations, kerosene and gasolene engines, tanks, stoves, ranges and boilers telephone poles and wiring; substations, transformers, etc.

A complete list of items and materials to be sold will be furnished o application to Smith and Jaffe, auctioneers who will conduct the sale of 68 West 45th St., New York City or the Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C

The buildings and improvements at Camp Upton were offered for sale by sealed bids received by the Quartermaster General a few weeks ago. All of the bids were rejected, however, ahd the property re-advertised for sale by auction.

The most amazing salt mine in the world is at Wieliczka, in Poland, It is a veritable city of salt, with its magnificent cathedral, crucifix, altar, pulpit, statues of saints, magnificent ballroom, bewildering layout of broad streets, restaurants, railway station and other features incidental to every surface colony, but all of salt.

STATE BREEDS BOB-WHITE PARTRIDGES IN CAPTIVITY

Richmond, Aug. 9.—Experiments of an interesting nature in breeding Bob-white partridges and other game birds and animals in captivity are being carried on at the State game farm in New Kent county, under the direction of Colonel F. Nash Bilisoly, Commissioner of Game and Inland Fisheries.

Latest reports from the farm, which comprises about 1200 acres, show a total hatch of 768 birds from 851 eggs hatched under bantam hens. From the first setting of 79 eggs, 68 birds were hatched. A hatch of 228 birds resulted from the second setting of 247 eggs, while the third setting of 284 egges yielded 271 birds. The fourth hatch resulted in 200 birds from 235 eggs. In addition six Blue Scale partridge eggs resulted in a hatch of as many birds of this variety.

More than 700 eggs laid by partridges trapped and purchased by the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries, are now under bantam hens at the farm, with prospects bright for a good hatch. There are now 70 0young birds in the rearing pens at the farm awaiting shipment to different sections of the State, where they will be liberated on sanctuaries established by the Department. It is understood the first shipment of birds from the farm will go to Southwest Virginia, where partridges have been scarce since the severe winter of 1917-18. Sanctuaries have been established by the Department in each magisterial district in the State, the owner of the lands accepted as a refuge for birds agreeing to permit no shooting thereon for a period of three years after partridges have been furnished him by the Department. Birds raised on the game farm will be distributed annually on these sanctuaries, the idea being that as the birds multiply on the refuges they will spread to adjacent lands and furnish sport for hunters in the open season.

The success of the undertaking at the Virginia farm has attracted the attention of game commissioners in other States Virginia, it is said, being the first State to raise as many as 500 partridges in captivity.

Operations at the farm are in charge of W. B. Coleman, as superintendent. Mr. Coleman is a man of wide experience in breeding game in captivity having, prior to his employment by Colonel Bilisoly, been in charge of breeding operations on a large game preserve in South Carolina owned by wealthy sportsmen from New York. He originally came from Amelia County, Virginia.

Upon being trapped, the partridges are placed in a community pen, where they are kept until the mating season arrives, when they are paired off and placed in breeding pens, in which they are kept until after the laying season. The nests are robbed at regular intervals by employees at the farm and placed under bantam hens. One of the hen birds has already laid nearly 50 eggs this summer. If the nests are not robbed, the hen bird will go to setting as soon as she has laid a clutch of from 12 to 15 eggs. It is the expectation of Superintendent Coleman to liberate more than 1,000 partridges on the State sanctuaries this summer.

There are also a number of deer on the farm, and Superintendent Coleman reports the birth of three fawns These will also be liberated in sections of the State in which deer have become scarce. An effort to breed wild turkeys will also be made, and plans are now under way looking to the establishment of a large black bass hatchery at the farm.

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MONDAY, AUG. 9, 1813.

BY THE NORTHERN MAIL OF LAST NIGHT.

At a late hour last night an officer of the army arrived in this city from Plattsburg, who informs that the British had destroyed all the public property in Plattsburg. They came up in two sloops and several barges, and landed fifteen hundred men. After forming in marching order, a flag was despatched to town with a demand for its surrender, provided that if no resistance was made, all private property should be respected. Not having a sufficient force to oppose, the inhabitants left the town. The British entered, burnt the barracks, public stores, etc., valued at $50,000.

NEWS FROM THE LAKES.

The two privateer boats have arrived, with 580 barrels of Irish Pork, and about 20,000 pounds of hard bread, captured from the Enemy.

VAGRANT PHRASES

(For the Gazette.)

God defends the right—Dieu defend le droit.
Rank imposes obligation—Noblesse oblige.
On the alert—Qui vive.
Save himself who can—Sauve qui peut.
Success to the trifling—Vive la bagatelle.
On the contrary—Tout au contraire
Without ceremony—Sans ceremonie
Word of honor—Parole d'honneur.
In spite of us—Malgre nous.
The fashionable world—Le beau monde.
The animating spirit of a collective body—Esprit de corps.

WASHINGTON
Day by Day

(Continued from page one)

Democrat to the writer today "as there is about the Proverbial snowball. Senator Trinkle will be elected by an increased Democratic majority. Of that, there is not the slightest doubt. There is absolutely no dissaffection in the ranks of Democracy in the Old Dominion and the failure of Harry St. George Tucker to receive the primary nomination for Governor has left no sores whatever. There is about as much chance of Virginia going Republican this fall as there is that the State of Pennsylvania will be carried by the Democrats at the next Presidential election. And who would be foolish enough to risk even so much as a couple of Mexican nickels that anything of the kind is likely to happen."

SPORTS

The Tigers Jr., a fine team for the age a nd size, of its members will not play many more teams this year as they are getting ready to have a strong football team, and expect to beat the Trinagles Sports in foot ball this year. The Juniors have defeated a lot of strong teams this year.

The Trinagle Sport Club once more plowed their way to victory by trimming the Kendall Green A. C. of Washington, to the score of 12 to 9, Blunt was in ship shape while not to much can be said of Whitton, who received Ford in ceter, also played the game equal to any big leaguer. The following was the line up, Duty, 1st base· Pettit, 2nd base; Edwards, 3rd base; Howard, ss.; Smith, lf.; Ford, cf.; Nordinockirf. The Triangles expects to play Burke Station this Sunday. Those bringing in runs were as follows: Blunt, 3; Duty, 3; Ford 2, Whitton, 2, Howard, 1; Pettit. 1. There will be a meeting at the home of Robert Whitton tonight at 88 o'clock, an deverybody who is a member, is requested to be present as a number of changes will be made and a football captain will be elected. The address is 209 South Patrick street.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

American League.

Cleveland	66	39	629
New York	62	38	620
Washington	59	50	541
Detroit	50	55	476
St. Louis	49	54	476
Boston	47	55	461
Chicago	45	59	433
Philadelphia	38	66	365

National League.

	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Pittsburgh	64	37	634
New York	64	41	610
Boston	56	43	571
Brooklyn	55	50	524
St. Louis	53	49	520
Cincinnati	44	60	423
Chicago	43	60	417
Philadelphia	31	70	307

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

American League.
Washington 16, St. Louis 5.
Cleveland 4-7, Philadelphia 3-6.
(Second game, 13 innings.)
New York 7-4, Chicago 0-5.
Boston 6, Detroit 1.

National League.
Cincinnati 9, Philadelphia 3.
New York 6, Chicago 3.
Brooklyn 4, Pittsburgh 2.
St. Louis 7, Boston 6.

GAMES TODAY.

American League.
St. Louis at Washington.
Detroit at Boston.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Chicago at New York.

National League.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.

Will Care for His Three Wives Says Mother of Young Bride-groom.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 9.—"I will protect my son's wives, provide for them like a good mother and give them a home in my own household and see that they shall want for nothing."

Weeping bitterly and wiping away the tears as they streamed down her face, Mrs. John Smith, sitting in an outer room of Morals Court, made the above statement today after her son, George Smith, aged 21, was held by Magistrate De Wolf on a charge of bigamy. Smith is alleged to have three wives, all of whom are living and he is said not to have been divorced from any of them. His arest was caused by his mother.

Sitting beside Mrs. Smith, the mother of the youth thus charged, were wife No. 2 and wife No. 3, her husband and other relatives, attempting to comfort her.

Wife No. 2, formerly Miss Eleanor Gaschwend, aged 16, and wife No. 3, formerly Miss Frances Zolner, aged 16, of Altoona, unknown to each other until yesterday, were today the greatest of friends determined to remain so until the end in spite of what may have happened to their mutual husband. The elder Mrs. Smith has taken into her home wife No. 3, who formerly was a wire walker in a carnival, and has promised to take care of her.

The story of the alleged triple plunge into the sea of matrimony by a youth of but 21 years reads like the adventures of the villain in a dime novel. Smith, it is said, took his first "dip" in El Paso, Texas, taking as wife No. 1 Miss Margaret Davis, of the Texas City.

Smith is next alleged to have walked to the altar with the Gaschwend girl, at Wellsburg, Va. on April 17, 1920. Wife No. 3 followed on the witness stand and said she and Smith were married in the office of a local downtown Alderman June 9, of this year.

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Atlantic City Crowd Money Had As $10,000 IsTossed By Breezes.

Atlantic City, Aug. 9.—There was a wild scramole at the corner of Atlantic and Pennsylvania Avenues yesterday afternoon when a black leather bag containing $10,000 in silver and bills, the payroll of the Atlantic City and Shore Railroad Company, broke and spilled its contents over the street. All but eleven cents was recovered.

Two score persons who heard the jingle sprang to the assistance of Foreman Mark Higbee, custodian of the money, while the crews of two trolleys abandoned their cars in an effort to protect their bi-monthly stipend. Firemen from the Pennsylvania Avenue Station, together with several policemen, assisted in the chase of the flying bills.

Higbee was almost in a panic as he saw the precious paper whirled about by playful breezes. He refused the aid of strangers, but formed the trolley crews and firemen in to a recovery squad.

SEALED PROPOSALS—Indorsed "Proposals for Elevated Water Tanks, Quantico, Va., Specification No. 4506," will be received at the Bureau of Yards and Docks, Navy Department, Washington, D. C., until 11 o'clock, a. m., August 17, 1921, and then and there publicly opened, for (a) taking down an existing 30,000 gallon steel tank on a 100 foot steel tower now located at the Ordnance Reserve Depot, Tullytown, Pa., shipping tank and tower to the Marine Barracks, Quantico, Va. and re-erecting it at that station; the tower however, being reduced to provide a height of 25 feet from the ground to the bottom of the tank, and (b) furnishing and erecting a new 10,000 gallon steel tank on a steel tower, the bottom of tank being 45 feet above ground. Concrete foundations for new and old tanks and necessary piping connections to existing systems will be included. Drawing and specification No. 4506, may be obtained on application to the Bureau or to the Commanding General, Marine Barracks, Quantico, Va. Deposit of a check or postal money order for $10, payable to the Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, is required as security for the safe return of the drawings and specification. C. W. Parks, Chief of Bureau, August 4, 1921.
188-194-2c.

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New York, Aug. 9.—Another ship was added today to the string of mystery craft sighted recently off the Atlantic Coast and suspected of everything from piracy to rum-running.

The latest—described as a 12,000 ton steamer—was sighted August 6 about sixty miles southeast of Cape Hatteras, by the steamship West Keene, which arrived today from Pacific ports.

The Keene's officers said the vessel had remained four miles distant. She carried three masts and two funnels. Two cargo booms usually snugged down while ships are at sea, were rigged to the foremast

An effort to exchange radio messages failed when the ship refused to answer.

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TOMORROW
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TODAY
JESSE L. LASKY presents
"HELD BY THE ENEMY"
with
Wanda Hawley, Lewis Stone, Jack Holt and Agnes Ayers.
A Paramount Picture.

TOMORROW
ROY STEWART
In another great Western
"THE MEDICINE MAN"
By Reliance Film Company

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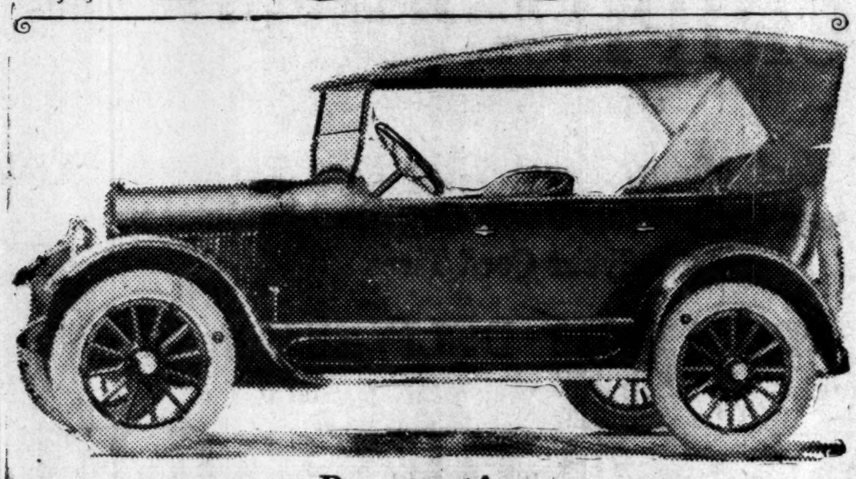

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12.00x noon.
P. M.—12.10, 12.25, 12.30x, 12.40, 12.55, 1.00x, 1.10, 1.25, 1.30x, 1.40, 1.55 2.00x, 2.10, 2.25, 2.30x, 2.40, 2.55, 3.00x, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.40, 3.50, 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.35, 4.45, 5.00, 5.05, 5.15, 5.20, 5.25, 5.30, 5.35, 5.45, 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40, 6.55, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 7.55, 8.10, 8.25, 8.40, 8.55, 9.10, 9.25, 9.40, 9.55, 10.10, 10.25, 10.40, 10.55, 11.10, 11.25. 11.40, A. M. 12.15.
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South	New York-Jacksonville	North
3.35 a. m.	(A. C. L.)	11.30 p. m.
	Washington-Richmond	
7.57 a. m.	(Local)	11.53 a. m.
	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
9.22 a. m.	(S. A. L.)	9.00 p. m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
k10.20 a. m.	(Local)	
	Washington-Richmond	
11.47 a. m.	(Express)	2.13 p. m
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
3.07 p. m.	(Local)	8.09 a. m.
	New York-Augusta-Florida	
3.32 p. m.	(A. C. L.)	3.10 p. m
	Washington-Atlanta-Birmingham	
5.17 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	12 noon
	Washington-Richmond	
5.27 p. m.	(Local)	*5.53 p. m.
	New York-Tampa-St. Petersburg	
8.17 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	8.26 a. m.
	New York-Jacksonville-St. Petersburg	
	New York-Florida	
9.57 p. m.	(A. C. L.)	8.15 a. m.
	Richmond-Washington	
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Max J. Raine,
Secretary.
184-9c.

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Erin To Accept Peace Proposals, Dublin Reports.

London, Aug. 9.—After inquiries in well informed quarters, the Dublin correspondent of the London Times learns that the Government offer, with certain reservations, is likely to be accepted by the Dail Eireann.

The threatened break in further peace negotiations between the British Government and Sinn Fein in Ireland was bridged today through the release from prison of John J. McKeown, by order of David Lloyd George, on representations from Eamonn de Valera, the Irish Republican leader.

McKeown was in prison under conviction for the murder of Chief Inspector McGrath. All the other members of Sinn Fein Parliament under detention had been released, but the authorities of Dublin Castle had refused to set McKeown free. This fact had deeply stirred the Irish people, who claimed that McKeown should be accorded the same immunity as had been granted the other Republicans.

In London the incident is considered a victory for Sinn Fein. The general belief is, however, that the Dublin Castle officials acted without consulting the London Government when they issued their notice that McKeown could not be released and that the London Government in the interest of peace overruled them.

Judge Refuses To Quit Despite Attacks On Home.

Clifton, Ky., Aug. 9.—Joseph W. Burns, city judge of Clifton, who has been target for two gangs of gunmen within the last few days, yesterday issued a defiance to the band and declared he would not resign his office or leave Clifton.

Burns has been threatened with death if he remains. His refusal to resign came after the Clifton City Council had approved action of the City Attorney demanding that Burns quit office. The residence of Judge Burns has been riddled with bullets twice within the week, over 300 shots having been fired.

Burns said he and his family sleep on the first floor of their home to lessen chances of bullets taking effect in their bodies. Burns peeped out twice during the bombardments and saw several of the gunmen, but declares he could not recognize any of them. The town has been in a state of terror as the result of the attacks.

THREE JUDGES WILL AWARD SCHOLARSHIP

Announce Names of Men Who Will Read Essays Written in Good Roads Contest For Firestone Scholarship

Washington, D. C., August 9.—Three distinguished judges, each widely known in his individual field, will constitute a national committee to award the four years university scholarship offered for the best essay written on the subject "Good Roads and Highway Transport" in a national contest among high school pupils conducted under the auspices of the highway and highway transport education committee which has headquarters here.

According to announcement of the committee the judges will be Dean A. N. Johnson, Department of Engineering, University of Maryland chairman; Harford Powel, Jr., editor of Collier's Weekly; and C. H. Huston, Assistant Secretary of the Department of Commerce and President of the Lee Highway Association.

Upon the decision of these judges rests the hopes and ambitions of tens of thousands of high school boys and girls from every state in the union. During the last six weeks offices of high school principals and city and state superintendents of schools have been deluged with essays and manuscripts. These now are being sitted and sorted, the best from each state being chosen by a process of elimination. It is these best essays that will be presented to the national judges, together with the best essay submitted from the District of Columbia, Porto Rico, and Alaska respectively.

The scholarship is the gift of H. S. Firestone of Akron, Ohio, a member of the committee, offered at the request of his associates on the committee. The contest represents the first renewal of the Firestone scholarship, the first having been won by Miss Katherine Butterfield of Weiser, Idaho, who attended school last year under its provisions. It is believed a smiliar contest will be held next year, the committee being urged by eminent educational authorities to repeat a contest that enlists the activities and sympathies of pupils and teachers alike. The 1922 contest will be announced in February, according to present plans, and closed prior to commencement exercises in the schools.

Arrangements are being made by the highway committee to have each of the fifty-one essays typed uniformly and given a serial number for the consideration of the judges. In the manner the judges will be unaware of the sex of the writer, or the section of the country from which the essay comes. They will, therefore, be swayed by no motives except the inherent qualities of the manuscripts themselves.

After the judges have eliminated all but the best of the fifty-one they will read, a meeting will be called at Washington, when they will again go carefully over the essays and make their final decision .It is believed the result will be known in time for the successful contestant to enter college the coming school year, if the winner is a senior student. In the event the national prize is given any pupil other than a senior in high school the award of the scholarship will be deferred until the winner is ready to take advantage of it. The scholarship has a value of not less than $4 000.

Judge Merciful To Two Because of Low Salaries.

New York, Aug. 9.—Expressing the belief that the defendants did not receive salaries commensurate with their living requirements, Federal Judge Sheppard exercised mercy today in passing sentence on a bank cashier and his assistant, who pleaded guilty to misapplication of $6,500 of the bank's money in the past two years.

H. B. Rundall, cashier of the First National Bank of Amenia, N. Y., and Mrs. Judith B. Demming, assistant cashier, were sentenced to serve one day each in the custody of United States Marshal McCarthy and to pay fines of $500 and $250 respectively.

Judge Shepard pointed out that neither of the defendants used the stolen money in speculation and that the bank had been reimbursed by them for its loss. He sharply criticised the bank officials, however, for attempting to conceal the defalcation by permitting the defendants to make restitution without calling the thefts to the attention of police authorities.

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